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1. [] Talked with William Darden indicating that the Director had discussed with Senator Russell the possibility of a meeting with the CIA Subcommittee of Senate Armed Services before the Director left on the 16th. Apparently Senator Russell agreed that this was desirable and I was merely alerting Darden to see if he could assist us in establishing a date. Darden will advise.

2. [] Don Appell of HCUA staff called stating that in January of 1963 one Wilkerson who heads a group to abolish HCUA was in Washington and had placed a telephone call to one [] in the Woodward Building who is a former Agency employee. I thanked Appell for this information and passed it to [] of Security.

3. [] At the request of Miss Nettie Bishop in the office of Congressman Frank C. Osmers, Jr. (R., N. J.) I made an appointment for a serviceman by the name of [] who will be arriving in Washington from Fort Holabird during the afternoon.

4. [] Mr. Ben Mandel, Research Director, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, called and requested such information as may be available concerning Communist influences and pressures directed against the Nobel Prize Committee in Stockholm particularly with regard to selections and awards. I advised Mr. Mandel that I would relay his request and be back in touch with him.

5. [] Miss Carol Febrizio in the office of Congressman William Brock (R., Tenn.) called and requested that their office be furnished with a set of clerical applications for a constituent.

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6. [] Transmitted to Mr. William Darden, Senate Armed Services Committee Staff, a detailed breakdown of the cost estimates set forth in tab 4 of the background materials on H. R. 8427, the Agency Early Retirement Bill, which was furnished him last week. Although Mr. Darden wanted to study the cost estimates breakdown before any discussion with us, he noted he was particularly interested in the Agency assumptions set forth at page 4. At first glance he felt that they failed to take into consideration cases such as those used in illustration, for instance an individual in grade 14, age 39, with 16 years' service. When he has had a chance to study the breakdown during the week, he will be back in touch with us.

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7. [] Transmitted to Mr. James Gehrig, Assistant to Senator Stuart Symington (D., Mo.) a memorandum entitled "Soviet Disinformation Campaign Against The Central Intelligence Agency" in response to the Senator's request of 10 October during the Director's appearance before Senate Foreign Relations.

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